

| MONTHLY SORTIE GOALS | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| 961st Airborne Air Control Squadron | Monthly flying-hour contract | 51.9 |
| | Hours flown | 25.6 |
| | Monthly offset | -25.4 |
| 33rd Rescue Squadron | Monthly flying-hour contract | 63.9 |
| | Hours flown | 69.6 |
| | Monthly offset | 6.6 |
| 96th Air Refueling Squadron | Monthly flying-hour contract | 295.9 |
| | Hours flown | 119.6 |
| | Monthly offset | -85.4 |
| 44th Fighter Squadron | Monthly sortie contract | 245.9 |
| | Sorties flown | 118.2 |
| | Monthly offset | -127.7 |
| 67th Fighter Squadron | Monthly sortie contract | 198.2 |
| | Sorties flown | 70.5 |
| | Monthly offset | -127.7 |

Source: 18th MOS/MXOOP, as of June 13

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WEEKEND WEATHER

TODAY: Mostly cloudy
NW winds @ 10-15 knots
High: 82 Low: 77

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SATURDAY: Cloudy with rain showers
SW winds @ 10-20 knots
High: 84 Low: 79

SUNDAY: Cloudy with rain showers/storms
SW winds @ 15 knots
High: 84 Low: 79

FRIDAY MORNING'S COMMUNITY BANK EXCHANGE RATES
BUYING: \$1-Y107 SELLING: V112-\$1

Special Olympic Games kick off Saturday



By Staff Sgt. Jason Lake
18th Wing Public Affairs

Kadena's Sixth Annual Special Olympic Games are scheduled to kick off Saturday at 10 a.m.

More than 6,000 athletes, family members, volunteers and fans are expected to turn out for the base's largest community activity of the year.

The games include events for the 50-, 100-, 150- and 200-pound weight classes. Other highlights include a parade, a band performance, and a fireworks display.

Other highlights include a parade, a band performance, and a fireworks display. The games will also feature a parade, a band performance, and a fireworks display.

Kadena officials remind residents that Gate 5 will be closed to the public Saturday to allow exclusive access to athletes, their families, and distinguished visitors involved with the event.

"We'd like to see as many spectators out there as we can get," said Maj. John Chase, Kadena Special Olympics director of operations. "Just because you didn't sign up to be a volunteer doesn't mean you can't come out and cheer on the athletes and enjoy the prohibition."

Interested in watching the games? You should get to the stadium early. The games will also be a great opportunity for future games. Other highlights include a parade, a band performance, and a fireworks display.

Gate 1 will NOT be open Saturday due to weather-induced construction delays

18th Wing's top enlisted Airman talks with NCOs

By Staff Sgt. Jason Lake
18th Wing Public Affairs

Chief Master Sgt. Clinton Camac, the 18th Wing's command chief master sergeant, spoke with Kadena's junior NCOs during four NCO calls held at the Keystone Theater Tuesday.

As the number of driving-under-the-influence cases continue to float above last year's comparative figures, Chief Camac urged supervisors to take an active role in preventing alcohol abuse.

"[As front line supervisors], you must show your Airmen there is a way to have fun responsibly," he said. "Being a good supervisor takes leadership and direct involvement. You should know what your Airmen are doing – both on and off duty."

The chief said that while some Airmen may perceive their supervisor as a micromanager for keeping a close eye

about being popular or a good "friend."

The chief presented the hundreds of NCOs with local facts and figures about alcohol abuse, and shared a video interview of a young Airman confined at the Camp Hansen Brig for his second DUI offense.

"This is about taking responsibility and respecting the negative power of alcohol," he said.

The chief said after having just one drink, some Airmen may be in danger of exceeding the legal blood-alcohol content limit of .03 percent while off base. On base, the BAC limit is .05 percent.

Any Airman who chooses to drink and drive – and turn a vehicle into a lethal weapon – is also subject to discharge.

According to last year's island-wide military statistics, the category with the most DUIs was 18-25 year old single Airmen and Marines ranks E-1 through E-4.



Air Force/Tech. Sgt. Richard Freeland
Chief Master Sgt. Clinton Camac, the 18th Wing's command chief master sergeant, shares facts and figures about alcohol abuse with 18th Wing NCOs at the Keystone Theater Tuesday.

alcohol-related incidents involved junior Airmen, the NCO ranks were not excluded from the list.

"Some of our NCOs have violated the laws just as some of our [junior] Airmen have," he said. "We need to make a cultural change within the force."

All Airmen are urged to have a wingman, and if drinking, have a plan. Unit designated drivers, Airmen Against Drunk Driving and free taxi rides from gates and 18th Services facil-

easy and safe.

The 18th Wing commander, Brig. Gen. Jan-Marc Jouas, shared the same briefing with junior Airmen during a commander's call in late April.

Both leaders said they are not out to preach a message of prohibition, but responsible behavior.

"Slamming a 12-pack is not drinking responsibly," the general said. "Getting in a car after drinking is never responsible. Make the right choices and take



Safety officials: 'ACT responsibly'

By Ron Kirby
18th Wing Safety Office

Like the rest of our Air Force, Team Kadena kicked off its "101 Critical Days of Summer" safety campaign Memorial Day weekend, which will continue through Labor Day weekend.

Although we maintain a strong safety posture throughout the year, this period of the year historically has increased off-duty injuries and fatalities due to increased recreational activities.

Just this past weekend we almost lost an Airman who went swimming without a Wingman. Suffering from exhaustion, the Airman was forced to swim onto a patch of rough coral before passing out. If not for a group of local fishermen who rescued her, the Airman could have drown with the shifting tides.

Last year, the Air Force lost 32 Airmen in preventable mishaps during the "101" day period. Twenty-four of the fatalities were traffic mishaps, four recreational and two on duty.

It's a fact of life that our off-duty activities have certain inherent risks associated with them, but it is also important to remember that risk can be managed and minimized by pre-planning and using common sense.

Whether you're at a summer backyard party, beach barbecue, driving cross-country on vacation, playing softball, or just swimming in the sea, every activity has risks and you need to be aware of them. It's so easy to get caught up in the moment and not pay complete attention to what's going on around you. Only you can assess the risks of your actions and activities. Take appropriate actions to reduce or eliminate them. Know

your abilities and don't take any unnecessary risks.

This year's campaign will focus on all personnel to ACT responsibly. This means to:

Assess the situation and evaluate the risks. Be aware of surroundings. Analyze what could go wrong? What are the chances it will go wrong? Is this dangerous? Am I qualified, trained or capable to do this? Have I been drinking?

Consider the options to limit the risk. What can you do about it? Is it worth the risk to do it? Do I have the correct equipment (helmet, seatbelts, gloves, eye protection). Do I have a designated driver? Should I stay out of the water? Comply with traffic laws.

Take responsible and appropriate action. Implement risk controls. Get out of the water. Put on a life jacket or seatbelt. Stop dangerous or irresponsible acts. Call Airmen Against Drunk Driving (634-2233), or get a taxi for a ride home. Take the keys away from someone who's been drinking.

The inherent risks can be minimized by properly assessing the situation and then implementing responsible action.

Being safe is everyone's responsibility. Commanders, supervisors, and our Airmen form a very impressive team dedicated to the Kadena mission. Airmen must be good Wingmen and take care of one another.

Let's use this successful team concept and continuously remind one another of the importance of safety on and off duty.



An airman first class from the 718th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron was recently convicted for driving while intoxicated March 19 with a breath-alcohol content of .158 percent. He was demoted to airman; fined \$1,384 over two months; given 30 days extra duty and restriction; and reprimanded.

It has been...
12 days
since the last DUI arrest on Kadena.



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Brig. Gen. Jan-Marc Jouas
18th Wing commander

The 18th Wing is very interested in ideas that can make Kadena an even better place to live, work and play. If you have a concern that you have been unable to resolve through normal chains of command, then we'll look into it. Although not required, it's better to give commanders, first sergeants or the agencies with which you have the concern the opportunity to correct the situation first. When that fails, send us an e-mail. Include your name and telephone number so someone can get back to you, and a brief summary of your concern.

Accidents waiting to happen...

When driving on Melville Avenue from Fairchild Avenue going toward Bong Drive, there is a huge problem. At the Melville and Patterson Avenue intersection, traffic on Melville has the right of way, while Patterson traffic has yield signs. But I've noticed that drivers aren't yielding. I've already had three incidents - two were while riding a motorcycle. During the most recent incident I was a split second away from being broadsided with my family in the car. I feel that of all the four-way stop signs in military family housing, this should be one of them. At the very least, could you add a stop sign for the Patterson traffic?

I share your concern about the hazard at the intersection of Melville and Patterson in our Family Housing area, and agree that there could be some difficulty for approaching traffic on Patterson to see oncoming traffic on Melville. Our civil engineers have replaced the "yield" signs with "stop" signs. This change requires the Patterson traffic to come to a complete stop, allowing more time to check for oncoming traffic before proceeding safely. Thanks for taking the time to make our Kadena community a safer place to live, work and play.

Can anything be done about students crossing the street at Vincent Avenue and Kuter Boulevard when they don't have a green light? I've witnessed, on several occasions, kids not looking or stopping before crossing Vincent.

I share your concern for the safety of pedestrians on Kadena. Our base policy states that pedestrians have the right-of-way in marked intersections. Naturally, we expect that they will also use common sense when crossing the street. The intersection you identified, like many others on Kadena, does not have signals specifically for pedestrians. However, placing additional pedestrian signals at this and other intersections won't solve the problem you've identified, since the root cause is a lack of attention and disregard for personal safety by a few pedestrians. I've asked the Kadena schools to brief all students on pedestrian safety while crossing at intersections, and directed our security forces to pay greater attention to this problem. More importantly, we need parents to address traffic safety with their children. I also encourage everyone to take an active role in resolving problems such as this - when you see a dangerous situation arise, no matter what or where it may be, address the issue with the offenders (look out for your Wingmen). Thank you for being a conscientious driver, for being concerned about the safety of those around you, and for bringing this to everyone's attention.



SHOGUN WARRIOR OF THE WEEK



Staff Sgt. Kayerusha Smith
18th Services Squadron, NCO-in-charge of supply logistics
Hometown: Watervally, Miss.

Reason for nomination: Sergeant Smith was a direct contributor to the 18th SVS winning the Pacific Air Forces 2005 Curtis LeMay Award.

Time at Kadena: 4 years, 9 months

Editor's note: Shogun Warriors are selected by unit leaders for their outstanding value to their unit and dedication to the Kadena mission. To nominate someone, send the name of your nominee to your unit commander or senior enlisted leader.

News Briefs

DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE: Did you know – per Air Force Manual 31-201V7, state licensing agencies will be notified, by mail, of all DUI/DWI cases, as well as revocations of base driving privileges or refusal to submit a blood alcohol test.

VEHICLE REGISTRATION OFFICE CLOSURE: The Joint Services Vehicle Registration Office will close at 11:30 a.m. June 24 for an official function. For more information, call 645-7481 or email jsvro@mcbbutler.usmc.mil

AMERICAN RED CROSS: A community first aid and safety instructor's course will be held **June 27 to 30** from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Upon completion of the course, participants will be certified in CPR and first aid. Call the Kadena ARC at 634-1979 to sign up or find out more information.

• Starting **July 1**, the American Red Cross will handle Air Force Aid Emergency Assistance after normal duty hours, weekends, holidays and Air Force down days for all Air Force active-duty personnel and dependents. Call 634-7521 for more information.

TELEPHONE SERVICES: The 18th Communications Squadron telephone customer service office, Bldg. 400, installs, relocates and disconnects residential phone ser-

vice. The office is open Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Call 634-1005 for any questions or concerns.

• The 18th Comptroller Squadron telephone billing office, Bldg. 721-C, sends out all residential telephone bills, collects money, and answers any billing issues. Automatic payroll deduction is mandatory for Air Force members, but non-military customers may pay their bill at the billing office or mail their payment to Kadena Accounting and Finance. The office is open Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call 634-5666 for any questions or concerns.

LAST RESORT TAXI FUND: The 18th Security Forces Squadron law enforcement desk has a fund that may be used for taxi fare by military members who have been drinking and are stranded at the gate without enough money for a taxi ride to an on-base residence. Members using this service are required to reimburse the LE desk the following day or as directed by their first sergeant. Contact unit first sergeants for more details.

CHANGES OF COMMAND: Lt. Col. William Gerhard Jr. will assume command of the 18th Communications Squadron from Lt. Col. Stephen Korns June 23 at 9:18 a.m. at the Rocker NCO Club.



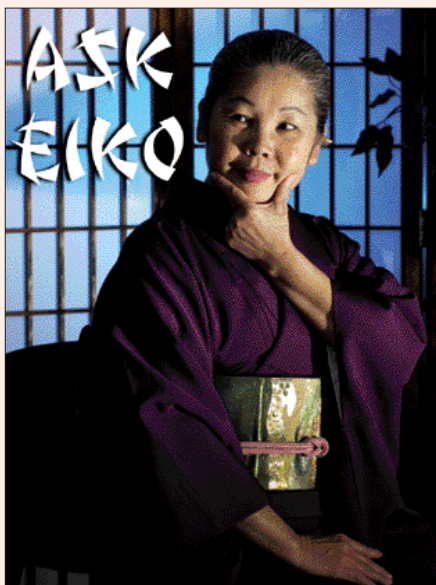
Air Force graphic by Staff Sgt. Jason Lake

Kadena officials ask military housing and off base residents to conserve electricity whenever possible. Presidential Order requires federal agencies to reduce energy consumption by 30 percent this fiscal year and 35 percent by fiscal year 2010 [compared against a 1985 index].

- Maj. Charles Metrolis will assume command of the 31st Rescue Squadron from Lt. Col. Coy Speer during a change of command ceremony at the 31st RQS hangar beginning at 3:31 p.m. June 24.
- Lt. Col. Eric Axelbank assumed command of the 18th Logistics Readiness Squadron from Lt. Col. Mark Wingreen June 9.

OUTREACH PROGRAM: The Life Skills Sup-

port Center is offering an LSSC representative to come to your unit to present prevention programs like stress management, suicide and violence prevention, and more. To schedule a presentation, contact Capt. Beverly Thomas or Staff Sgt. Jason Sharp at **634-1266**. Theater briefings for suicide prevention for larger groups will be held the second Wednesday of every month.



"Ask Eiko" is a forum for readers to ask Japanese cultural questions to Kadena's family support center's cultural awareness expert, Eiko Ishikawa. To submit a question, send an e-mail to: kadenashogun.newspaper@kadena.af.mil with the subject line – ASK EIKO.

Q : I love your articles, but nearly all make reference to things coming to Okinawa and Japan from China. Is there anything traditional in Japan that didn't come from China?

A : If we are talking material things, then it is safe to say that there are far more things that come to Okinawa from China than from Japan. There are geographical, historical, and political reasons for this.

Geographically, the island chain that makes up the Okinawa prefecture is much closer to China than to Japan proper, so we had contact with China long before we did with Japan. The name Ryukyu comes from the Chinese, Liu Qiu, which is most nicely translated as a "flowing string" (as in a string of pearls). When the weather is clear, it is possible to sail from mainland China to Japan without ever losing sight of land, first by following the Chinese Channel Islands to Taiwan, and then by following the Okinawan islands.

Politically and historically, there are two major factors that had "Chinese things" coming into and through Okinawa for much of its early history. When the Chinese first came to Okinawa, history and legend says it was with the intent to conquer the islands. However, the Okinawan people treated the official emissaries extremely well. And the ruler of Okinawa made a very courteous offer to be a peaceful trading vassal of China. Okinawa was spared invasion and trade with China became a mainstay of commercial activity. This, combined with location, made the main island of Okinawa a center for commercial activity between China and Japan.

The second historical and political factor was Tokugawa Ieyasu's decision to close Japan's borders when he became Shogun. This decision was made to keep Japan untainted by western influence; however, Tokugawa was a pragmatic person who realized trade with outside nations, particularly China, was necessary for Japan's survival. He restricted trade to only a few ports, with Nagasaki being the most

popular.

Okinawa was not truly considered part of Japan, plus the Chinese refused to trade with the Portuguese, who were given trading rights in Nagasaki. This allowed Okinawa to become even more important as the major trade center between China and Japan throughout the Edo period (1600-1868).

As you can see, with geography, history, and politics all leaning toward China, it isn't surprising that most of the material things in Okinawa and Japan were introduced from China, with much of it coming through Okinawa.

While this is true of material things, many of the cultural aspects of Japan are indeed homegrown. These include the Tanka and Haiku poetry styles, the Japanese puppet theater, Noh plays, the Tea Ceremony, Ikebana (flower arranging), and many other art forms. The Japanese kimono evolved within Japan (although Okinawan kimonos have a heavy Chinese influence) and the Japanese sword (katana) is unique in design and style of tempering the blade. The Shinto religion was unique to Japan. These and many other things, which are considered to be symbols of Japan, are truly Japanese.

In Okinawa, for most of our history, we had the luxury of choosing what we liked best from Chinese, Japanese, and other cultures we encountered. The end result is that the Okinawan culture is widely different from the Japanese. That is one reason people who know much about Japan are shocked that many of our Okinawan customs and cultures are not Japanese. This definitely works to our benefit today as tourism, which is our main source of trade, thrives on highlighting these differences.

Take advantage of learning more about the Japanese and Okinawan cultures while you are here.

Nearly 300 Kadena staff, technical sergeants to sew on new stripe

By Staff Sgt. Jason Lake
18th Wing Public Affairs

More than 180 staff sergeants and 115 technical sergeants found out that they would be sewing on another stripe within the next year after Air Force officials released the results of the technical sergeant and master sergeant promotions earlier today.

Air Force officials selected 6,630 of 25,454 eligible technical sergeants for promotion to master sergeant; and 9,116 of 43,379 eligible staff sergeants for promotion to technical sergeant.

The master sergeant selection rate rose 0.10 percent from last year to 26.05 percent, while this year's technical sergeant rate dropped 0.56 percent from last year to 21.01 percent.

Out of the 339 technical sergeants eligible for promotion at Kadena, 115 were selected, or 33.92 percent.

More than 870 Kadena staff

sergeants were eligible for promotion, but only 181, or 20.82 percent, made the cut.

The complete list of selectees is posted at www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/eprom.

Score notices will be available on the virtual Military Personnel Flight today.

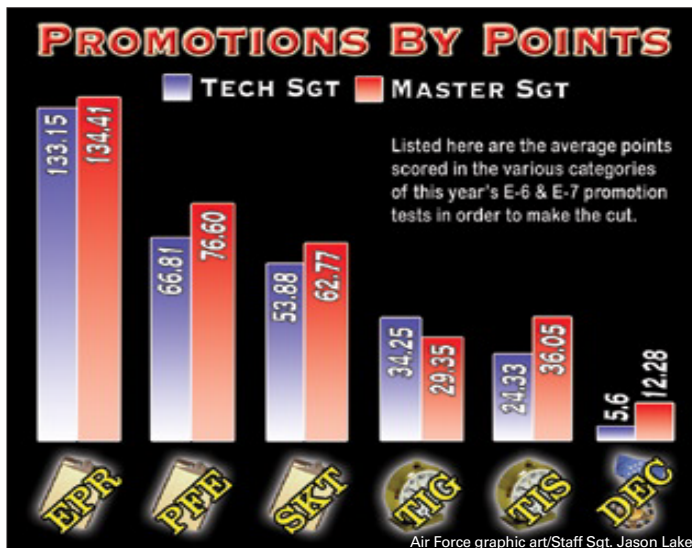
The average master sergeant selectee score for the 05E7 master sergeant test cycle was 345.81 points.

The average master sergeant selectee has 3.81 years time in grade and 17.26 years in service. Those selected will be promoted to master sergeant between August 2005 and July 2006.

The average selectee score for the 05E6 technical sergeant test cycle was 313.49 points.

The average technical sergeant selectee has 4.63 years time in grade and 11.04 years in service. Those selected will be promoted to technical sergeant between August 2005 and July 2006.

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18th Services Squadron
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Demetrius McDew
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Brandon Casteel

320th Special Tactics Squadron
Scott Bennett
Thomas Marshall
Ronald Osteen

33rd Rescue Squadron
Jennifer Miller

353rd Maintenance Squadron
Kristopher Berg
Russell Hill
Todd Howell
Kenneth Marshall

353rd Operations Support Squadron
Christopher Garcia
Mary Johnson
Donald Northcutt

353 Special Operations Group
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Alan Cunningham
Shawn Gilmore
Marilyn Holliday

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Rolando Ortiz

Aircrew evacs boy from Saipan

By 1st Lt. Gerardo Gonzalez
18th Wing Public Affairs

A life-threatening emergency on the island of Saipan prompted a team of Kadena Airmen into action recently, bringing together a cross-function of skills to execute a humanitarian mission.

An aircrew from the 909th Air Refueling Squadron and medics from the 18th Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron teamed up to transport a severely injured 15-month-old child out of Saipan.

"It was a Friday afternoon when the phone call came to alert us for an aeromedical evacuation mission," said Capt. Jeremy Boyd, the mission pilot and aircraft commander from the 909th ARS. "The little child had been run over with injuries to part of his shoulders and head."

Within three hours of notification, a KC-135 Stratotanker, maintained and prepped by the 718th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, took off for Saipan in the Northern Mariana Islands to pick up the child and deliver him to a medical center in Hawaii.

"We were told his prognosis was critical and he required neurosurgery within 24-hours, otherwise he would not survive," said Capt. Donna Hornberger, 18th AES medical crew director during the mission.

Flying into Saipan was not without challenges as the crew headed toward an unknown airfield with limited resources in the middle of the night. One of those challenges was communication.

"Our boom operator, Senior Airman Mike Russell, and Captain Hornberger had to use a satellite phone to coordinate with Saipan's people," said Capt. Jordan Collins, 909th ARS co-pilot during the mission. "But we had to call back to home station and have them relay



Air Force/Capt. Jeremy Boyd

First Lt. (now Capt.) Jordan Collins, 909th Air Refueling Squadron pilot, flies a KC-135 Stratotanker during a recent mission. Lieutenant Collins served as the co-pilot during a humanitarian mission that transported a 15-month-old child from Saipan to Hawaii.

[our arrival information]."

The improvised communication worked. Once the aircraft arrived in Saipan the improvisations continued as the crew found itself without the support they normally receive upon landing.

"There were no military agencies on the airfield to help us out," said Captain Collins.

The aviators improvised once again and even turned to Continental Airlines to provide required flying notices. More challenges awaited as the crew dealt with the reality that cabin pressure on the aircraft may compound the child's injuries.

"We pressurized [the cabin] on the ground in Saipan so the pressure wouldn't be too great at take off," said Captain Collins.

Once airborne, the aircrew kept pressure fluctuations to a minimum by starting aircraft descents early and decreasing pressure very slowly, said Captain Boyd.

Then the child's condition took a turn for the worse.

Capt. Hornberger advised the cockpit crew that the child was having extreme breathing difficulties.

"My mind began to race and think of how we could make up any time," said Captain Boyd.

After discussing options with the medics and his co-pilot, he decided to declare an "emergency" with air traffic control agencies. The declaration allowed for a direct priority flight to Hawaii instead of a less direct point-to-point route.

"We were able to make up about 10 minutes by not following our flight planned route," said Captain Boyd.

All the necessary agencies waited in place for the aircraft's arrival and went to work immediately after the aircraft parked.

"Within 20 minutes of engine shutdown the little one was off to the hospital," said Captain Boyd. The child was admitted to the hospital in critical but stable condition.

The mission was a success from the very beginning according to Captain Boyd. He credits the medics, the many agencies involved and especially the maintainers for making sure the aircraft was ready. "We simply could not have made the mission work had they not been there," he said.

In the end the aircrew found out that the child had no military or government affiliation, said Captain Boyd. The Air Force had answered an international SOS call and took on a mission that no one else was able to fulfill at the time.

18th Wing opens office to help sexual assault victims

By Master Sgt. Adam Johnston
18th Wing Public Affairs

Sexual assault victims at Kadena now have a confidential source to speak to thanks to a new Defense Department initiative.

Under the new program which began Tuesday, a sexual assault response coordinator, or SARC, is the sole point of contact for managing all aspects of sexual assault responses at military installations. Capt. Shontre McFarlin, previously from the 18th Mission Support Squadron, has been named the coordinator for Kadena.

The new position is part of a DoD-wide standard that now provides victims with the support they need after incidents occur, and helps commanders get to root causes of sexual assault, according to a March 2005 report on Air Force Link.

According to that report, a corresponding new policy allows victims to report incidents and receive medical treatment, care and counseling, while at the same time giving victims more time and control over the release and management of personal information.

"It's estimated that 85 percent of sexual assault cases go unreported because previous policies lacked privacy for the victim," said Captain McFarlin. "A critical factor in the new policy is the option for victims to report sexual assault in two manners: restricted confidential reporting and unrestricted reporting," she said.

"The real difference and strength with the new policy is that confidentiality will allow victims to come forward and report incidents without fear of reprisal or retribution," said Captain McFarlin. "The first priority with this program will be to ensure the victim is protected, treated with dignity and respect, and receives the medical treatment, care and support they deserve," she said.

Last March, the Defense Department established new guidelines for reporting incidents of sexual assault within the military.

A June 2003 report about sexual abuse at the Air Force Academy identified that five percent of female cadets and less than one percent of male cadets had been involved in known sexual assault allegations over a 10-year period. The study sparked major changes at the Academy on the handling of victims in sexual abuse cases. In March 2005, the Defense Department announced a multi-service policy on sexual abuse reporting.

Along with the establishment of the new office, Capt. McFarlin is currently seeking volunteers to be victim advocates. "Victim advocates will be required to complete a minimum of 50 hours of training to become qualified to serve in this capacity," she said.

To report a sexual abuse incident or to simply talk about sexual abuse, call Captain McFarlin at 634-SARC.

KHS seniors start new chapter in life



Air Force/Airman 1st Class Stephanie Sinclair

Kadena High School's senior class valedictorian, Thao Nguyen, speaks to her fellow classmates during their graduation day ceremony held at the Keystone Theater June 10. More than 150 students graduated from this year's senior class.



Today

DANCE PERFORMANCE: Watch a Kariyushi Ryukyuan Dance Performance at the Okinawa Prefectural Folk Theater starting at 7 p.m. Tickets cost ¥2,500. Call 866-2341 for more information.

KUMON MATH: Youth ages 5 to 18 can learn to excel in math while developing superior study habits from 3 to 5:40 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center. Call 634-1387 for more information.

YOUTH DANCE: Children ages 6 to 8 can kick off summer break in style by attending a schools-out dance celebrating youth academic achievement with good music and fun from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Youth Center. Members cost \$3, nonmembers cost \$5.

TEEN DANCE: Attend a School Out Hip Hop Dance from 7 to 10:30 p.m. at the Teen Center. Cost is pick-your-own-price for members who show their teen center card, \$4 for members without their card, and \$5 for nonmembers.

SUMMER FREE BOWLING: Children ages 9 to 18 are invited to bowl for free from noon to 5 p.m. at Emery Lanes. Children ages 10 and older must show an ID card to join and all 9-year-olds must be signed in by a parent. Children are required to have a participation form filled out and signed by a parent or guardian before joining the program. Pick up and return forms at the front desk. Call 634-2290 for more information.

CHURAU BATH HOUSE: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: Play bingo from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

✓ Flashback Fridays with DJ Zacko from 5 to 10 p.m. followed by "Reggae Beats" Virus in the lounge from 10 p.m. to 3 a.m.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Play social hour bar bingo in the lounge from 5 to 7 p.m. Game pieces go on sale at 4:45 p.m.

✓ De Ja Vu variety music with DJ Rough Rider from 5 to 9 p.m. followed by Back that Friday up Party All the best of the 80's and 90's until 3 a.m. in the lounge.

OFFICERS CLUB: Treat the person you know you can always count on - your right hand person - to a big thanks for all they do with complimentary snacks in a relaxing environment at the Right Hand Person's Evening from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Weekend Lounge.

Saturday

TEEN POOL PARTY: School's out and it's time to cool off with some water fun at a Wet and Wild Pool Party from 7 to 10 p.m. at Hagerstrom Pool. Cost is \$5 for members and \$7 for nonmembers.

YOUTH DANCE: Children ages 9 to 12 can kick off summer break in style by attending a schools-out dance celebrating youth academic achievement with good music and fun from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Youth Center. Members cost \$3, nonmembers cost \$5.

COMIC AND CARD SHOW: Buy, trade, or sell comics, cards and other collectables from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center. Vendor tables are \$5 on a first-come, first-serve basis and admission is free.

TABLETOP WARRIORS CLUB: Join or learn to play tabletop gaming including Warhammer, Warhammer40K, Battletech, D&D, and Magic the Gathering from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center.

QUILTING CLASS: Learn the techniques of machine patchwork quilting from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center and discover how to make useful household items out of old clothing and fabric scraps.

SAX, FLUTE, CLARINET LESSONS: Children over the age of 5 and adults can learn to play an instrument in one-hour sessions from 7 a.m. to noon at the Schilling Community Center.

TUNNEL RATS TOUR: Call ITT at 634-

A creative way to thank dad



Air Force/Airman 1st Class Stephanie Sinclair

(From left to right) Jordan Andrews, 6-year-old son of Staff Sgt. Troy Andrews, 353rd Special Operation Support Squadron; Sarah Bastien, 7-year-old daughter of Lt. Col. Pete Bastien, 961st Airborne Air Control Squadron; instructor Teruyo Uechi, 18th Services Squadron; and Rachel Bastien make Fathers' Day cards at the Youth Center Monday.

4322 for more information.

DEEP SEA FISHING: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: Kickin' it Country with DJ TNT in the ballroom and Soul 4 Real - R&B, Hip Hop, Reggae and Old School with DJ Nate Love and DJ Steel in the lounge from 8 p.m. to closing.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Saturday Night Fever "Rocker music mixer" and Top 40 variety dance hits from 9 p.m. until closing in the lounge.

Sunday

EMERY LANES: Up to five bowlers can rent a lane for \$15 and bowl for 3 hours from 8 to 11 a.m.

✓ Bowl for a dollar a game during family day, when parents and children bowl together from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. A three-game limit may apply.

RYUKYU MURA TRADITIONAL CRAFTS: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BATTLE OF OKINAWA TOUR: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: R&B in the lounge from 7 until 10 p.m.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Planet Vibe jazz with the Doctor from 5 to 8 p.m. followed by Top 40 hits until closing.

✓ All dad's receive a 50 percent discount on normal food menu items for Father's Day from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

OFFICERS CLUB: Have a special brunch with your dad for Father's Day from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Kudaka room. Members cost \$17.95, nonmembers cost \$19.95, children ages 5 to 12 cost \$8.95, and less than 5 years cost \$3.

Monday

YOUTH PUFFER SUN DECORATIONS: Youth Center members ages 6 to 12 can discover creative ways of making sunshine decorations for the summer season.

SUMMER FIT2WIN TEEN CHALLENGE: Earn points with each fit2win challenge by winning first place-10 points, second place-7 points, or third place-5 points at the Teen Center. Teens with the most points will win a first prize of \$100. Other prizes will be awarded.

JAPANESE ANTIQUES: Pick up Japanese and Hina dolls, sake sets, carvings, and more until June 25 at the Schilling Community Center.

JAPANESE CONVERSATION: Adults can learn practical conversation and Okinawan customs and culture from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the

Adults can learn how to salsa dance from 8 to 9:30 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center.

CAKE DECORATING: Learn the techniques for mastering cake decoration from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center.

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EMERY LANES: Dad's will receive a free game for every two paid ones for a father's day special. Dad's can also stop by the front counter for a free gift while supplies last.

SKOSH BOWL: Bowl for a dollar a game during family night, when parents and children bowl together from 6 to 11 p.m. A three-game limit may apply.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: Play bingo from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

✓ Enjoy games, and more than 140,000 songs on the new jukebox from 7 to 11 p.m.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Play in the Gameshow night with host CNote from 7 to 11 p.m., where you can Rock Around the Clock with a chance to win prizes or a trip to the cash cube for a chance to win \$500.

Tuesday

TAI CHI: Adults can learn the Chinese art of Tai Chi Ch'uan involving slow motion moves and routines with numerous benefits to your health from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center.

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MINNA ISLAND DAY TOUR: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: Enjoy a char-broiled 8 oz. rib-eye steak, baked potato bar, corn on the cob, home-made rolls and butter, iced tea or coffee for \$7.95 from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on the patio and in the lounge.

✓ Play in a pool tournament starting at 7 p.m.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Join the Office Party from 5 to 7 p.m. followed by Krazy Karaoke with KJ QUTU and LT from 7 to 11 p.m.

Wednesday

SUMMER FIT2WIN TEEN CHALLENGE: Earn points with each fit2win challenge by winning first place-10 points, second place-7 points, or third place-5 points at the Teen Center. Teens with the most points will win a first prize of \$100. Other prizes will be awarded.

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KUMON MATH: Youth ages 5 to 18 can learn to excel in math while developing superior study habits from 3 to 5:40 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center. Call 634-1387 for more information.

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BANYAN TREE CLUB: Play in a dart tournament starting at 7 p.m. followed by Request Night with DJ Keli from 8 to 11 p.m. Call Staff Sgt. Joseph Hale at 634-4428 or Johnny Pyrdol at 634-0644 for dart league information.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Deep Groove jazz with the Doctor from 5 to 8 p.m. followed by Ladies Night with DJ Robski until closing.

Thursday

NEWCOMERS UNACCOMPANIED BUS TOUR: The Schilling Community Center offers a free bus tour for military members to a pineapple winery, Ocean Expo Park, and Okuma Recreation Area while providing helpful information from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Call 634-3366 to sign up.

TEEN ICE SKATING: Join the Teen Center for ice skating at Southern Hill during a teen discover trip.

FAMILY POOL PARTY: Bring the family to Hagerstrom Pool for a night at the pool with food and music during family night from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

JAPANESE CONVERSATION: Adults can learn practical conversation and Okinawan customs and culture from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the Schilling Community Center.

JAPANESE CALLIGRAPHY: Bring Japanese words to life at this adult class from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center.

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OKINAWA DELIGHT AND KOKESHI DOLL WORK SHOP: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

a.m.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Rub a Dub Reggae with DJ Rough Rider from 5 to 8 p.m. followed by Top 40 variety music until closing.

June 24

DANCE PERFORMANCE: Watch a Kariyushi Ryukyuan Dance Performance at the Okinawa Prefectural Folk Theater starting at 7 p.m. Tickets cost ¥2,500. Call 866-2341 for more information.

TEEN RECOGNITION NIGHT: Enjoy free food and entertainment at the membership and teen recognition night at the Teen Center.

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TASTE OF THE TOWN TOUR: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: Play bingo from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

✓ Flashback Fridays with DJ Zacko from 5 to 10 p.m. followed by "Coyote Ugly" Virus from 10 p.m. to 3 a.m.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Play social hour bar bingo in the lounge from 5 to 7 p.m. Game pieces go on sale at 4:45 p.m.

✓ Join "Boss and Buddy Night" from 5 p.m. until finish. Call 634-0740 for more details.

✓ De Ja Vu variety music with DJ Rough Rider from 5 to 9 p.m. followed by variety music until closing.

June 25

MOVIE ON THE LAWN: Bring your blankets and lawn chairs to a movie on the lawn at Marek Park starting at 8 p.m. Free popcorn and drinks will be served.

CRAFTS FAIR: Come to the handmade craft fair from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and see what island crafters have made at the Schilling Community Center. Products include wood shelves, baskets, candles, bath and body products and more. Vendor tables cost \$10 and admission is free.

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BOWLING TOURNAMENT: Participate in Emery Lanes' Ryukyu Island Bowling Association 40-frame game tournament at 7 p.m. to win cash and prizes. Participants must pay a fee to participate when signing up at 6 p.m.

OKUMA AND HIJI FALLS TOUR: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

YUI MONORAIL AND KOKUSAI STREET TOUR: Call ITT at 634-4322 for more information.

BANYAN TREE CLUB: Kickin' it Country with DJ TNT in the ballroom and Soul 4 Real - R&B, Hip Hop, Reggae and Old School with DJ Nate Love and DJ Steel in the lounge from 8 p.m. to closing.

ROCKER NCO CLUB: Saturday Night Fever "Top 40" variety music from 9 p.m. until closing in the lounge, and Super Ladies Night from 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. in the ballroom.

OFFICERS CLUB: Gourmet night.

June 26

VIDEO AND COMPUTER GAME SWAP: Buy, sell or trade videos and computer games from noon to 2 p.m. at the Schilling Community Center. No new or copied videos or games will be accepted.

EMERY LANES: Up to five bowlers can rent a lane for \$15 and bowl for three hours from 8 to 11 a.m.

MOVIES

Patrons should call **Keystone Theater** at 634-1869 or **Butler Theater** at 645-3465 to verify movie titles, showtimes and ratings. * First Run shows are marked by a star

Keystone Theater

- ▲ Today.....*Madagascar, PG, 6 p.m.
- ▲ Kings Ransom, PG-13, 9 p.m.
- ▲ Saturday.....*Madagascar, PG, noon
- ▲ Kings Ransom, PG-13, 4 p.m.
- ▲ Sahara, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Sunday.....Kings Ransom, PG-13, noon
- ▲ *Madagascar, PG, 4 p.m.
- ▲ Sahara, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Monday.....*Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants, PG, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Tuesday.....*Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants, PG, 1 p.m.
- ▲ *Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants, PG, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Wednesday.....Kings Ransom, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Thursday.....Ice Princess, G, 1 p.m.
- ▲ *The Longest Yard, PG-13, 7 p.m.

Butler Theater

- ▲ Today.....*The Longest Yard, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ *The Longest Yard, PG-13, 10 p.m.
- ▲ Saturday.....Sahara (2005), PG-13, 1 p.m.
- ▲ King's Ransom, PG-13, 4 p.m.
- ▲ *The Longest Yard, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ *The Longest Yard, PG-13, 10 p.m.
- ▲ Sunday.....Sahara (2005), PG-13, 1 p.m.
- ▲ King's Ransom, PG-13, 4 p.m.
- ▲ *House of Wax, R, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Monday.....*Star Wars III, PG-13, 3 p.m.
- ▲ *Star Wars III, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Tuesday.....*The Longest Yard, PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Wednesday.....Sahara (2005), PG-13, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Thursday.....*Star Wars III, PG-13, 3 p.m.

CHAPTER

Catholic

- ▲ Monday through Friday: Mass, Chapel 2, noon.
- ▲ Saturday: Confession, Chapel 2, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.
- ▲ Vigil Mass, Chapel 2, 5 p.m.
- ▲ Sunday: Mass, Chapel 3, 8:45 a.m.
- ▲ Mass, Chapel 1, 12:30 and 5 p.m.

Protestant

- ▲ Wednesday: Bible Study, Chapel 2, 7 p.m.
- ▲ Sunday: Inspirational, Chapel 2, 8:30 a.m.
- ▲ Liturgical, Chapel 3, 8:45 a.m.
- ▲ Evangelical, Chapel 1, 9 and 10:45 a.m.
- ▲ General Protestant, Chapel 2, 10:30 a.m.
- ▲ Gospel, Chapel 3, 10:30 a.m.
- ▲ Sunday school, Bldg. 326 & 327, 10:45 a.m.
- ▲ Hindu service: Mondays, Chapel 1, noon.
- ▲ Eastern Orthodox services: Call 645-7486
- ▲ Jewish services: Call 637-1027



Air Force photos by Airman 1st Class Heather Tower

18th CS holds fitness challenge

LEADING THE WAY: Stephen Korn, 18th Communications Squadron commander, leads his troops during a fitness challenge June 2. The challenge consisted of a 1.5-mile fun run; and a flight and individual fitness competitions.

CRUNCH TIME: Khalil Sharif competes in the individual fitness competition.

Intramural soccer standings

| Team | W | L |
|----------|---|---|
| 18 MUNS | 4 | 0 |
| 961 AACS | 3 | 0 |
| 353 OSS | 3 | 0 |
| 18 CMS | 3 | 0 |
| 554 RHS | 3 | 3 |
| 18 EMS | 1 | 0 |
| 18 CS | 0 | 0 |
| 18 CPTS | 0 | 3 |
| 390 IS | 0 | 3 |
| 353 MXS | 0 | 6 |
| 18 SVS | 0 | 6 |

SOURCE: 18th Service Squadron, June 14

Intramural softball standings

Division I

| Team | W | L |
|--------------|---|---|
| 18 MUNS | 4 | 0 |
| 733 AMS (A) | 3 | 1 |
| 18 SFS | 3 | 1 |
| 18 CS (A) | 3 | 1 |
| 18 CMS (A) | 3 | 1 |
| 18 CES (A) | 2 | 2 |
| 718 AMXS (A) | 2 | 2 |
| 353 MXS | 1 | 3 |
| 18 AMXS | 1 | 3 |
| 18 LRS (A) | 1 | 3 |
| 18 EMS | 1 | 3 |
| 18 SVS | 0 | 4 |

Division II

| Team | W | L |
|--------------|---|---|
| 18 AMDS | 3 | 0 |
| 390 IS | 3 | 0 |
| 554 RHS | 2 | 0 |
| 961 AACS (A) | 2 | 0 |
| 353 OSS | 1 | 2 |
| 82 RS (A) | 1 | 2 |
| 18 MSS | 1 | 2 |
| 623 ACF | 0 | 2 |

Division II

| Team | W | L |
|--------------|---|---|
| AAFES-PAC | 4 | 0 |
| 18 LRS (B) | 3 | 0 |
| 18 LRS (C) | 3 | 0 |
| 18 CES (B) | 2 | 0 |
| 18 MUNS | 1 | 2 |
| 733 AMS (B) | 1 | 2 |
| 961 AACS (B) | 1 | 2 |
| 18 CMS (B) | 0 | 2 |
| SCP | 1 | 1 |
| 18 CS (B) | 1 | 2 |

Running for a good cause

Irma Rosales carries the Special Olympics torch on the Marine Corps' behalf while running down Douglas Boulevard with more than 100 servicemembers from all military branches during the Torch Run Saturday. The run was one of the last events leading up to the Kadena Special Olympic Games scheduled this Saturday.



Sports briefs

Fathers' Day Golf Tournament

Saturday

Register your dad for a two-person best ball, with handicap (not scramble) golf tournament to be held Saturday at 7 a.m. at the Banyan Tree Golf Course. Gift certificates will be handed out to top teams, and closest-to-hole prizes and other door prizes will be given out. Call 634-3900 for more information.

Tai Chi class

Tuesdays, Thursdays

Learn the arts of Tai Chi Chuan at the Schilling Community Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5 to

6:30 p.m. The class is open to ages 18 and older.

Family Night at Hagerstrom Pool

Thursday

Enjoy a night at the pool with food and music for the entire family from 7 to 9:30 p.m. at Hagerstrom Pool.

Discover Scuba and Scuba Review Class

June 25

The Kadena Marina dive professionals offer the free Discover Scuba and Scuba Review class June 25. Con-

tact Kadena Marina Scuba Locker at 634-6344 for more information.

Guard Start

July 6-8

This program is designed to guide youth ages 11 to 14 toward the American Red Cross life-guarding program by building a foundation of knowledge, attitudes and skills. The course will be held July 6-8 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and will focus on prevention, fitness, response, leadership and professionalism. Participants must have taken and passed the pretest before signing up. The pretest will be held at Overton Pool at 1 p.m. June 25. After the pretest, participants may register for the

class at Outdoor Recreation starting June 27.

Tennis Tournaments

July 16-17, 23-24

Sign up to participate in the American and Japanese Friendship Doubles Tennis Tournament next month. The tournament includes men's intermediate division and women's open division July 16 and 17, and men's open division and women's intermediate division July 23 and 24. The deadline to register is July 3 at the Kadena Tennis Center and the entry fee is \$40 per team. Call 634-0695 for more information, or visit www.18services.com/tennis.html for annual tournament schedules.